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		Application Number	New Application
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**1. FILING FEE**

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Code	\$		
201	370	Utility filing fee	[ 370 ]
205	165	Design Filing Fee	
207	255	Plant Filing Fee	
208	370	Reissue Filing Fee	
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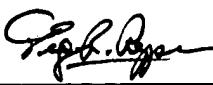
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**2. CLAIMS**

Paid	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee
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Independent Claims	[ 1 ] - 3** = [ 0 ]	x	42 = [ ]
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**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Fee Code	Fee Paid	Fee Description	Fee Paid
205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
219	160	Notice of Appeal	
220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
221	150	Request for Oral Hearing	
138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
240	55	Petition to revive -unavoidable	
241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
243	230	Design issue fee	
244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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090	400	Request for reinstatement of term reduced	
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